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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group Art Unit: 2878
Examiner: Davienne N. Monbleau

In Re PATENT APPLICATION Of:

Applicant(s) : Yasufumi KAWAMURA

Serial No. : 09/553,044

Filed : April 20, 2000

For : CONTROL CIRCUIT

Attorney Ref: MAE 231

**PETITION FOR
EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

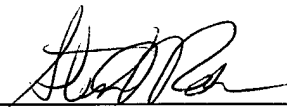
It is respectfully requested that the period for replying to the Examiner's Action dated January 12, 2005, be extended for one month under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).

The applicable extension fee of \$120.00 under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a) is submitted herewith.

Should any additional fees be required please charge the same to our Deposit Account No. 18-0002 and advise us accordingly. This paper is being filed in duplicate.

March 30, 2005
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Respectfully submitted,


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